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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
for
QUICKSAND COMMUNITY INITIATIVES, INC.**

ONE: The name of the non-profit corporation is: Quicksand Community Initiatives, Inc.

TWO: The name and address of the registered agent of this corporation is:

Bobby Thorpe
PO Box 1015
Jackson, KY 41339

The physical location of the corporation is:

1528 Quicksand Road
Jackson, KY 41339

THREE: The specific purpose for which this corporation is organized is for any lawful purpose. This corporation is organized exclusively for one or more of the purposes as specified in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, including developing real estate for the purpose of recreation and community advancement.

FOUR: The number of initial directors of this corporation is five; however, this number can and shall be increased through vote according to the bylaws of this corporation. The names and addresses of the initial directors are as follows:

Bobby Thorpe, Chairman, 43 Polar Bear Lane, Jackson, KY 41339
Chris Marlow, Co-Chair, 734 Hays Branch Rd., Lost Creek, KY 41348
O.T. Watts, Co-Chair, 64 Clell Lane, Campton, KY 41301
Kim Thorpe, Treasurer, 43 Polar Bear Lane, Jackson, KY 41339
Margie Layne, Secretary, 734 Hays Branch Rd., Lost Creek, KY 41348

FIVE: The names and addresses of the incorporators of this corporation are:

Bobby Thorpe, 43 Polar Bear Lane, Jackson, KY 41339
Chris Marlow, 734 Hays Branch Rd., Lost Creek, KY 41348
O.T. Watts, 64 Clell Lane, Campton, KY 41301
Kim Thorpe, 43 Polar Bear Lane, Jackson, KY 41339
Margie Layne, 734 Hays Branch Rd., Lost Creek, KY 41348

SIX: The period of duration of this corporation is perpetual.

SEVEN: Any additional provisions for the operation of the corporation are as follows:

Upon the dissolution of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes

within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or shall be distributed to the Federal government, or to a state or local government for the public purpose.

No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation (except as otherwise provided by Section 501(h) of the Internal Revenue Code), and this corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, and candidate for public office.


No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that this corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in these Articles.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles, this corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (1) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or (2) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.

In any taxable year in which this corporation is a private foundation as described in Section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, the corporation 1) shall distribute its income for said period at such time and manner as not to subject it to tax under Section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code; 2) shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941(d) of the Internal Revenue Code; 3) shall not retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943(c) of the Internal Revenue Code; 4) shall not make any investments in such manner as to subject the corporation to tax under Section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code; and 5) shall not make any taxable contributions.

Signed this 9 day of August, 2024.


Chris Marlow
Incorporator


Bobby Thorpe
Incorporator/Registered Agent

STATE OF KENTUCKY

COUNTY OF BREATHITT

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Chris Marlow, to me known, this 9 day of August, 2024.

Erin J. [Signature]

NOTARY PUBLIC

My commission expires: 12-28-2026

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STATE OF KENTUCKY

COUNTY OF BREATHITT

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Bobby Thorpe, to me known, this 9 day of August, 2024.

Erin J. [Signature]

NOTARY PUBLIC

My commission expires: 12-28-26

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**FILING INSTRUCTIONS
STATEMENT OF CONSENT REGISTERED AGENT**

DOCUMENT DELIVERY

All documents will be sent to the return address on the outer envelope. If no address is found, the documents will be sent to the principal office. If the applicant wishes for correspondence from the Office of the Secretary of State to be sent to someone other than those above, a request must be submitted in writing affirming that request. All other communication and notification shall follow the process prescribed in Kentucky Revised Statute.

WHO MAY SIGN

The document must be signed by an individual meeting one of the following requirements:

- If the registered agent is an individual resident of this state, the individual must sign statement.
- If registered agent is a corporation, an officer or the chairman of the board of directors must sign on behalf of the corporation.
- If the registered agent is a limited liability company and management of the company vested in one or more managers, a manager must sign on behalf of the limited liability company. If management of the company is vested in its members, a member must sign.
- If the registered agent is a limited partnership, a general partner must sign on behalf the limited partnership.
- If the registered agent is a limited liability partnership the statement shall be executed a partner or other person authorized by chapter 362.
- The representative signing the statement of consent on behalf of the business entity acting as agent must designate the title or the capacity in which he or she signs.

PRINCIPAL OFFICE ADDRESS

The principal office is the office (in or out of this state) so designated in writing with the Office of the Secretary of State where the principal designated office of the business entity is located. This address is where all correspondence from the Office of the Secretary of State (See Document Delivery) will be mailed.

NUMBER OF COPIES

If filing via mail or in person, one exact or conformed copy of the documents with the filing fee must be submitted to the address below. To make a copy of the filing for delivery to the local county clerk's office, visit www.sos.ky.gov and print a copy from the organization search tool.

EFFECTIVE DATE AND TIME

The document will be effective on the date and time of filing.

FILING FEE

There is no filing fee for filing this document. Checks should be made payable to the "Kentucky State Treasurer."

MAILING ADDRESS

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Statement of Consent of Registered Agent
(Domestic or Foreign Business Entity)

CRA

Pursuant to the provisions of KRS 14A and KRS Chapter 271B, 273, 274, 275, 362 or 386, the undersigned applicant consents to act as registered agent on behalf of the business entity named below and, for that purpose, submits the following statements:

1. The business entity is

- ☒ a corporation (KRS 271B, KRS 273 or KRS 274)
☐ a limited liability company (KRS 275)
☐ a limited partnership (KRS 362)
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☐ a business trust (KRS 386)

2. The name of the business entity is Quicksand Community Initiatives, Inc.

3. The state or country of incorporation, organization or formation is Kentucky

4. The name of the initial registered agent is Bobby Thorpe

5. The street address of the registered office address in Kentucky is:

1528 Quicksand Road Jackson KY 41339
Street Address (No Post Office Box Number) City State Zip Code

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of Kentucky that the foregoing is true and correct.


Signature of Registered Agent

Bobby Thorpe
Printed Name

Chairman
Title